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[redacted] Chief
West Coast Bureau, FBI
Post Office Box 1297
Santa Rosa, California

Dear Roland:

Subject: Visit by BBC Official

BBC Monitoring Service has arranged with FBI that Mr. John Sheringham, Head of Reports, BBC Monitoring Service, will visit FBI Headquarters, and will make a tour of our West Coast and Far East Bureaus, beginning in mid March. As you know, Sheringham's job in BBC Monitoring Service is roughly comparable to that held by [redacted] in FBI.

Tentative plans are that Sheringham will visit your Bureau during the period 26 to 31 March, 1960. When travel arrangements are completed, we will inform you by teletype of exact arrival and departure dates, flight numbers, etc. Sheringham will require hotel arrangements.

In accordance with our agreements and usual practice in dealing with BBC personnel you are authorized to discuss any FBI operational matters with him regardless of classification. However, you should avoid discussion of clandestine service procedures or installations, and should be discreet about discussing any administrative matters.

Sincerely,

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Chief, FBI

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